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Attorney Docket No.: CIT1510-4

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Cope et al. Art Unit: 1652
Application No.: 10/047,253 Examiner: Y.D. Pak
Filed: January 14, 2002 Confirmation No.: 6270
Title: REGULATION OF TARGET PROTEIN ACTIVITY THROUGH MODIFIER PROTEINS

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action mailed June 2, 2004.

The requested extension is for one (1) month, extending the period for response from September 2, 2004 to October 2, 2004 (Saturday).

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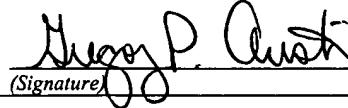
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CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR §1.8

I hereby certify that the documents referred to as enclosed herein are being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail on this date, October 4, 2004, in an envelope addressed to: MAIL STOP AMENDMENT, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

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(Signature) October 4, 2004
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Applicants claim **SMALL ENTITY** status in the above-identified application. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.27, a verified statement claiming small entity status is not required.

Enclosed is Check No. 567447 in the amount of \$110.00 in payment of the one (1) month extension of time fee (\$55.00) and the terminal disclaimer fee (\$55.00). The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any other fees that may be associated with this communication, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-1355. A duplicate copy of this petition is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,



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